

**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: BRITTINGHAM et al.  
Application No.: 09/942,453  
Filing Date: 8/30/2001  
For: APPARATUS, METHODS, AND  
ARTICLES OF MANUFACTURE  
FOR BUSINESS ANALYSIS

) Confirmation No.: 7938  
) Group Art Unit: 3692  
) Examiner: Jeniffer Liversedge  
) **RESPONSE** to September 15, 2008 Final  
) Office Action  
) Docket No.: G08.057  
) **PTO Customer Number 28062**  
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 15, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.